REMARKS

Entry of this Amendment to insure antecedent basis is requested. The term "the axial" length was added by Amendment in Claim 1, and the word "axial" is inserted for proper introduction of the term.

There is no change in scope of coverage, so no new search is required.

The need for the change was not discovered until a review was made prior to paying the issue fee.

The Director is authorized to charge any fee deficiency required by this paper or credit any overpayment to deposit account No. 23-1123.

Respectfully submitted,

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